

## Message Text

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SUBJECT: ACTIVITIES OF PAN AFRICAN FORCES IN SHABA

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1. GABONESE CONTINGENT OF PAN AFRICAN FORCE WAS DEPLOYED  
TO KIPUSHI AS CITED REFTEL A.

2. IN ORIGINAL PLAN FOR DEPLOYMENT OF PAN-AFRICAN UNITS  
THERE WAS NO INTENTION TO STATION TROOPS AT KIPUSHI BECAUSE  
MOROCCANS BELIEVED THE TOWN'S LOCATION ON THE ZAMBIAN BOR-  
DER MADE THE FORCE TOO VULNERABLE TO ATTACK. PRESSURE  
FROM GECAMINES AND LOCATION OF SUITABLE CAMP SITE 2 KM  
FROM KIPUSHI ON ROAD TO LUBUMBASHI CONVINCED MOROCCANS  
TO DEPLOY JOINT MOROCCAN/GABONESE UNIT TO KIPUSHI, BE-  
LIEVE THAT REFTEL B MAY HAVE NOTED ORIGINAL DEPLOYMENT PLAN.  
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